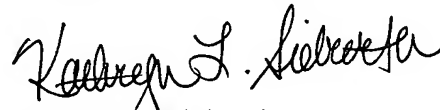


REMARKS

The claims are 16-24, with claim 16 being the sole independent claim. Claims 1-15 have been cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer. Support for claims 16-24 may be found throughout the specification. For example, support for claims 16-24 may be found in original claims 1-15 and in the specification at page 1, line 37 to page 2, line 5. The specification has been amended to add an abstract and to recite the continuing application data information. The abstract is attached on a separate sheet. No new matter has been added.

Favorable consideration and early passage to issue are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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